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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKETING DEPARTMENT

NOTICE OF HEARING AND PREFILED TESTIMONY DEADLINES

DOCKET NO. 2009-342-WS

At the Public Service Commission's weekly agenda meeting on August 12, 2009, the Commission stated that three members of the Alken County Legislative Delegation filed a request to review Avondale Mills, Inc.'s (Avondale) rates and to after, amend, or rescind the order which established Avondale's rates. Avondale's current rates were set by the Commission in Order No. 2009-394 on June 18, 2009, in Docket No. 2008-460-WS. S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-5-320 states, in part, jEthe commission may, at any time, upon notice and opportunity to the public utility affected and the regulatory staff to be heard, rescind, after, or amend any order or decision made by it; jE A copy of Avondale's current rates can be found in the Commission's Order No. 2009-394 issued on June 18, 2009, and in the Commission's Directive dated August 12, 2009.

A copy of the Commission's directive dated August 12, 2009, can be obtained from the Commission at the following address: Public Service Commission of South Carolina, Docketing Department, P.O. Drawer 11649, Columbia, South Carolina 29211. Additionally, this directive is available on the Commission's website at www.psc.sc.gov under Docket No. 2009-342-WS.

In order for testimony and evidence to be received from all interested parties, a public hearing will be held in the Commission's Hearing Room, Synergy Business Park, 101 Executive Center Dr., Columbia, S.C. on Tuesday, October 6, 2009, at 10:30 a.m.

Any person who wishes to participate in this matter, as a party of record with the right of cross-examination should file a Petition to Intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, on or before **August 25, 2009**, and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. Please include an email address for receipt of future Commission correspondence in the Petition to Intervene. **Please refer to Docket No. 2009-342-WS**.

Any person who wishes to testify and present evidence at the hearing should notify, in writing, the Docketing Department at the address below, the Office of Regulatory Staff, at 1401Main Street, Suite 900, Columbia, South Carolina 29201 and Scott Elliott, Esquire, Elliott & Elliott, PA., 721 Olive Street, Columbia, South Carolina 29205 on or before August 25, 2009, and indicate the amount of time required for the presentation. Please refer to Docket No. 2009-342-WS.

Any person, who wishes to be notified of any change in the hearing date, but does not wish to present testimony or be a party of record, may do so by notifying the Docketing Department in writing at the address below on or before August 25, 2009. Please refer to Docket No. 2009-342-WS.

NOTE: All Parties of Record must prefile with the Commission 1 copy of the direct testimony and exhibits of the witnesses they intend to present and serve the testimony and exhibits of the witnesses on all Parties of Record on or before September 1, 2009 (may be post-marked on this date).

All Parties of Record must prefile with the Commission 1 copy of the Rebuttal Testimony and exhibits of the witnesses they intend to present and serve the testimony and exhibits of the witnesses on all Parties of Record on or before September 15, 2009 (Rebuttal Testimony must be in the offices of the Commission and in the hands of the parties on this date.)

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE: Any person who wishes to have his or her comments considered as part of the official record of this proceeding MUST present such comments, in person, to the Commission during the hearing.

Persons seeking information about the Commission's Procedures should contact the Commission in Columbia at 803-896-5100.

Public Service Commission of South Carolina Attn: Docketing Department Post Office Drawer 11649 Columbia, SC 29211

August 17, 2009